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Applicant: Ib Mendel-Hartvig et al : Paper No.:
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For: **ANALYTICAL METHOD USING PARTICLES AND TEST KIT FOR PERFORMING THE METHOD**

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

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Dear Sir:

Appellants request an oral hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the present matter. The \$500.00 oral hearing request fee was previously paid via the Request filed by Certificate of Mailing dated March 28, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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